COMMITTED OVER TWENTY-BIX YEARS ACO

Grows Up and Av ng a the Death of His Father- A Remackable Story. than a the stitution.

eta tion, that reveals the tale of a shows that the law thinks it a weak a stille a order, and relates a story of deep-lyed villainy, was unearthed at this country to-day.

Not since the murder of Captain Dawson has South Carolina: been so or Mr. Roberts, both were released tartled-not since the recital by Mc-Now of his assassination of that mightly editor has there been told a it been required. The statement of story of such a cruel and cowardly nurder. Prominent people are conrected with its perpetration and overy other detail makes the revelasion most sensational.

An aged man, surrounded by a 'amily and riches, garnered by fair and foul means, with indications of mpending dissolution, and with a name alreadyblotched beyond reparation, is a rested quietly and silently for a murder committed nearly twen- day between a former master and w-six years ago. This man so rich, two of his ex-slaves. Avery dignified so doubly prominent, is Samuel Jef- old gentleman stopped in front of one Gries, a resident of this county. He of the grocery stores on Phoenix block is a brother of one of the signers of and inquired of Mr. Robert Gordon. the secession ordinance, who was a the proprietor, if he could give him man of deep piety and profound learn- any information concerning the where-13. In crary way he is well connect | abouts of two negroes, named Perry ed with the first families of Carolina. Lee and Troy Wilson, whom he said He is about seventy years of age he had heard lived in Helena. The and is the richest man in this see- stranger introduced himself as Dr.

Samuel Jefferies killed a neighbor him Troy Wilson, who is now a mail named Shelton Sparks. Jefferies on agent in the employ of the governaccount of his riches did not go to ment on the Arkansas Midland Rail she war, but hired a substitute. Sparks road. Wilson soon met his former slose of 1864 attempted to compel saw Wilson and learned of his rise the manufacturing industries of was a conscript officer, and about the master, who wept with joy when he Jefferies to go into the army, but his is the world. Les was also found and favors the protective policy. The cowardice was too great. The result brought before the Doctor. The Democratic party opposes it. The was that Jefferies went to the woods master and ex-slaves remained long Alliance bids its membership to free and hid away from the conscript offiin quiet conversation with one anthemselves from partisan prejudices
the great party blind—and to ar-

averything was in a condition of all how Wilson and Lee were faring, most irretrievable chaos, the trial of had come down here to assist them, lefferies for this murder was held. if they needed any assistance. After Everybody was interested in the case, sending them both substantial presmeted out fairly. One of these was home in the Lone Star State. Dr. Alexander White, an influential local physician. He denounced the nurverer and chanced to obtain some damaging testimony against Jefferies. This was soon made known to Jefsomb shell in their camp. How to tion. Various schemes were hatched o no effect

ly afterwards the prattling child, ses- wealth for a long time after this, and ing the blood of the father flowing Dr. Sheldon was presented with could not have come upon them. freely, eat down and dabbled in it. \$250,000 worth of stock in the Stand-Covered with the gore of its father, the ard Oil Company. child fell asleep, and there beside its parent rested peacefully until its brother discovered the dastardly

unknown. Suspicion pointed to Sam- the Pan-Americans on the Southern uel Jefferies, and several others, but tour, to return to Washington from stration. This might be illustrated none were arrested and tried for the Richmond. This was done by Secre- by a case in our own State and in deed. Soon afterward the trial of tary Blaine because so few of the your (Barnwell) county. I noticed Jefferies for the slaying of Sparks delegates desired to make the ex- quite recently that an honored and was held. It resulted in an acquittal, cursion. The Secretary decided that distinguished Carolinian, a citizen of B. B. B. as a fine tonic alterative. despite the fact that Jefferies was un- the number of those going would not your county and one of the most disanimously condemned by the people. justify the expense of the journey, tinguished farmers in the State, was Sinc then he has prospered, and is which would cost as much as if the reported to have said: "I am a Demotoday a very rich man. His charac entire conference had gone. The crat lirst, second a farmer." By which ter has never been good, and many whole outlay would probably have I understood him to mean that his deeds of doubtful fairness have been been about \$10,000. isid to his account. All his acts were the fruit of a masterly cunning mind. Time and again he has been accused of murdering Dr. White, but he and in Philadelphia, October 10th, 1828. fear of endangering Democratic suhis associates kept their secret well. He was a son of a well known law- premacy in the State. I am sure But his associates, who were not ver and distinguished politician of that my distinguished friend held, as mixed up in the deed, often said pub-Philadelphia. He was educated as a I held that there is nothing dishonest licky that he rarely ever slept and merchant, and after being four times in the administration of our State frequently he saw apparitions of his elected to the city council and once government. This being admitted it is certain he aged very rapidly and to Congress in 1863. He has since ger of the proposed discussion of never spoke of his past life. His sole represented without intermission the State policy-inside the Democratic aim seems to have been to conceal only Democratic district in Philadel- party? Surely, there could be no leg is now sound and well." forever this secret and make money phia. He served on the committees danger from such discussion if it be rapidly but murder will out and Sam- on banking, rules and elections, and conducted in a non-partisan non-facnel Jefferies is now on the threshold distinguished himself by his spesches tious-and Alliance members will en-

of a direful personal calamity.

STARRE RTAINGER HA When Dr. White was murdered, the committee on appropriations.

efforces and a man named Medlin, He gained credit by his success in Jefferies and a man named Medlin,

were intimate sesociates. It was believed that Medlin had sither best hired by Jefferies to kill the appropriations, and on the death White, or that he was an abettor in of Michael C. Korr, was elected Speakthe dead. Medlin had to leave, and er, December, 1876. He was ro-elwent to Texas. There he died some eeted Speaker in the two following years ago, and while on his death-bed congresses, serving in that capacity made a statement exonerating him- until 1881. Mr. Raudall has borne a self, and declaring that Jefferies had conspicuous part in the debates on murdered Dr. White. This confession the tariff as a leader of the protec-Was kept secret by Medlin's family. tionst wing of the Democratic par-Not long ago Medlin's son told the tells related by his father.

THE ARREST MADE.

among the few people who were men were rowing a boat on Key's fish and the party, George Waldrop, being the caternal troubles that sweep the caternal troubles that sw sworn to secrecy. The prattling child pond, two miles west of here, Sunday the soil around his father's nurderer.

He is a penneless man, but he has been aided by friends in obtaining tests.

He leaves a wife and one child. He man of its macauses could be be friends in obtaining tests. aided by friends in obtaining testimony, and the case has been successfully acreed up. When Jefferies was fully acreed up. When Jefferies was been successfully acreed up. When Jefferies was fully acreed up. When Jefferies acreed a thin take there are any good ears at all. Journal of the War Department.

—Two Florida men cut down abee deaf hear."

In the war Department.

He was been acreed and the word up. When Jefferies was fully acreed and mouth-gate. Who is that around the conclusion of the word up. The arrest of the deputy sheriffs in his room.

per much in the Case. Correspondence of the Greenville News. GAFFNEY, S. C., April 23.—Consider-day.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY able prominence has been given the recent arrest of Samuel Jefferies of this place, by the various correspondents, from this place, Union and Spartanburg, and many exaggerated and erroneous statements have been made more for sensation than fact Mr. Jefferies has all the evidence needed to prove an alibi, so far as h is concerned, and the fact of his re-SPERTANBURG, S. C., April 17.-A lesse on a one thousand dollar bond

Mr. Jefferies arrived here on ye terday from Union where he had gone, and asked an investigation and as no witnesses appeared against him on light bail, easily giving the bond in Union although bond would have been given here for any amount had home. the case in the last issue of the Carolina Spartan is more nearly correct than any that has yet appeared, and sets forth the facts as related to your correspondent at the time of the oc

## A TOUCHING STORY.

HELENA, Ark., April 24 .-- A very at feeting scene was witnessed here to-White, of Denison, Tex. Mr. Gordoz, who was well acquainted with the parties sought for, went around to Just about the end of the war, the postoffice and brought back with track, and by some mishap he never taken, place since their departure was apprehended. Enraged at the conduct of the conscript officer, Jeffer in Misservies. Dr. White stated that the two men had been slaves unfaciel soon sought a difficulty with der him in Missouri, and that he had greatest number. him, and killed his official pursuer. heard of the terrible floods through-About the close of the war, when out this country, and, not knowing

A Doctor's Enormous Fee, What is believed to be the largest

No Southern Trip. The Secretary of State on Monday spirit in which it is to be done-"In telegraphed Capt. Bourke, in charge a strictly non-partisan spirit." That The murderers of Dr. White were of the special train that is carrying party zealhinders or prevents investi-

A Sketch of Mr. Randall. Whether this is true or not to the State Senate, he was elected on all sides, where could be the danagainst the force bill in 1875, and was gage in such discussion in no other a candidate for Speaker the next spirit. year, and was appointed chairman of

> cartailing expenditures by enforcing a system of proportional reduction in

> > Drowned in a Mill Pond.

This start of anew the old sensation | Andreson, April 24.—While three

PUBLIC AFFAIRS. Plain and Practical Statement From a Prominent Farmer - A Word About Pol-

Col. E. T. Stackbouse, president of the Farmers' Alliance of South Carolina,has written the following letter to Mr. M. J. Pate of Barnwell:

DEAR BROTHER-Your letter containing clipping, "The Alliance and it cause by the Bamberg Alliance, was received damag my absence from

letter by stating as briefly as possible what I conceive to be the relations of the Alliance to politics. The first declaration of intentions

in our constitution says: "To labor for the education of the agricultural classes in the science of economical government, in a strictly non-parti- forget: The danger of loading the san spint."

ed is that these classes need to be ducated in the science of economily to the inquiry, have these classes been careless about this kind of edu-fill the effices. cation, and if so, has this careless. ness made them victims of vicious legstation-legislation that is unequal and oppressive to these classes? The Alliance assumes (and we think cor-

party issue (as between thetwo great political parties in this country) than any other. Tariff protection taxes the agricultural classes—the largest consuming classes of manufactured products-to build up and enrich the

. Then, if we take up the financial or money question, which is more some class than a party question—neither of the great political parties having of care and put up 5,000 stalks for the palace, and it broke, and he fell looked after the interests of the agand great indignation was expressed. ents the parties separated. Wilson ricultural classes in the financial legsud great indignation was expressed. ents the parties separated—Vilson islation for the country since 1865. the normal strengted to have justice work in the city and the Doctor to his in proof of this we might cite the extraordinary privileges granted to the National Banks, the discrimination against the farmers' securities in the establishment of these banks, the demonetization of silver, the reduction fee ever paid to a physician in a single in the volume of currency by the re case was paid by J. H. Flagler, one tirement of the United States' bonds ries and his friends, and fell like a of the Standard Oil kings, to Dr. G. and the canceling of National Bank C. Sheldon of New York. A dearly notes, and in short, the establishappress this damaging evidence and beloved daughter of Mr. Flagler, who ment and maintenance of a financial save Jefferies life was the quest afterwards died while cruising on a policy that is surely reducing the yatch in Southern waters about a great middle class to a condition of year ago, was lingering between life dependence and want. This policy, and death. There were not more if long continued, will make a strong At last it was determined to for than two or three chances out of a and centralized government a neces ever silence the tongue of Dr. White hundred that she would be able to sity to protect the rich and to hold by death. The plot was conceived loave her bed alive. The devoted the poor in subjection. As remarked, and consummated rapidly. In the father announced that, if Dr. Sheldon this is more a class than a party and consummated rapidly. In the darkness of a midsummer night in could relieve the suffering in his question; but partisanship has been darkness of a midsummer night in could relieve the suffering in his question; but partisanship has been the blind that has blinded the farmerless child to sleep in his country would give him the largest fee that ing classes to the great wrong that home, Dr. White was shot dead. That was ever paid a physician. Miss was inflicted upon them. Of course, shot was fired through the door.

Flagler rallied and finally was able to if all the great farming classes could Instantly Dr. White fell doad. The leave her bed, and in the course of have freed themselves from party startled child awak-ned by the cruel time was sufficiently strong to drive and sectional prejudices and if they commotion, and the murderers plung- out. The young howess to several had been educated in the science of ed into impenetrable darkness. Short millions lived to enjoy her great political economy they would have stood together and these wrongs

> In the above brief allusions to the necessity of educating the agricultural classes I have trenched on the seeond important suggestion, viz: the gation is too patent to require demonlove and his allegiance to the Democratic party was such that he held it Samuel Jackson Randall was born bey inside the Democratic party, for

> > But the State Alliance has made no other Legislative demands and as an organization is not called upon to ess upon the demands put forth by ie "Farmers' Association."

> > The Alliance does not interfere with the political or religious preferences of its members. It is Demo-Legislative demands formuship. Legislative demands formu-lated by the State Alliance would be submitted to the sub-Alliances for ratification. When ratified, it would become a State Alliance demand and he membership would vote for no man who was not pledged to work

AIMS OF THE ALLIANCE. I close, and let me say that I see nothing in it to condemn. Your solicitude lest the Alliance ship THE RELATIONSOF THE CORDER TO should be wrecked in the stormy sea of politics was no doubt shared by thousands of as good Alliance men as there are in the State. Your fear that the Alliance might become claunish and refuse to vote for any save members of the order wid, I think, prove unfounded. The Alliance method leaves each member free to vote for the candidate of his choice

provided he is right on measures, and

education in the science of political economy is relied on to secure unity n support of measures, and it mus Aims," and resolutions in reference to be kept in mind that the State Al iianeo has submitted no demands consequently each member will deter mine for hims-If his duty as to men and measures. I said duty; yes, that is the word-duty; it carries the idea of relieving politics of sentiment and looks to the securing of economy and efficiency in government.

There is another idea in the article from the Barnwell People which the Minuce Brotherhood should never Alliance ship with self-seekers, who This decisration is full of sugges- look to their own advancement from tive thoughts. The thought suggest their connection with our order, Offics-seekers should find no encouragement to enter the Alliance. 'All cal government. This leads natural- liance association will better qualify us to select wisely our servants to

In conclusion, it may not not be improper for me to suggest to members of our order that in the discussion of the questions of State policy, rectly) that such has been the case, as estizens, not as an organization. Tariff protection might be cited as that they take into the discussion an illustration of this kind of unequal that broad charity which "construes and oppressive legislation. And it words and deeds in their most favormay be well to remark here that tar- able light, granting honesty of puriff protection is more distinctively a pose and good intentions to others." E. T. STACKHOUSE,

President S. C. S. F. A. Profitable Farming.

The Atlanta Journal mentions Mr. James B. Hunnicut, of Coweta countv. as one of the champion farmers of Georgia, and the figures produced seem to warrant the designation. Mr. tifty acres of land worked with two mules were \$2,000. The figures are as follows: 500 bushels of corn, 28 ing kept calling for surgeons, and their barley, 800 bushels of rutabaga turnips, 12 tons of clover hay, and a little of everything else. For instance, and we see it again in II Kings, where and put up 5,000 stalks for seed. On five acres in cotton he from the upper floor to the lower used four tons of commercial fertilizer | floor, and he was so hurt that he sent the crop was considerably injured by Esculapius, who wrought such won-500 bushels of corn from seven acres | codes cared the dislocated ankle of of thin land, heavily fertilized with King Darius, and the cancer of his tensive system, and during that time amputation; and Praxagoras removed bushels of corn to the acre. This is dissection; and Erasistratus removed certainly a good showing for s two- tumors; and Celsus, the Roman surconsumption and had some to sell.

All honest, conscientious physicians who give B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) a trial, frankly admit its superiority over all other blood medicines.

Dr. W. J. Adair, Rockmont, Ga. writes: "I regard B. B. B. as one of he best blood medicines. Dr. A. H. Roscoe, Nashville, Tenn.,

writes: "All reports of B. B. B. are favorable, and its speedy action is wonderful. Dr. J. W. Rhodes, Crawfordville, Ga., writes: "I confess B. B. B. is the best and quickest medicine for rheu-

matism I have ever tried." Dr. S. J. Farmer, Crawfordville, Ga., writes: "I cheerfully recommend Its use cured an excrescence of the neck after other remedies effected no

perceptible good." Dr. C. H. Montgomery, Jacksonville, Ala., writes: "My mother insisted on my getting B. B. B. for her rheumatism, as her case stubbornly would be wrong to discuss State pol- resisted the usual remedies. She experienced immediate relief and her mprovement has been truly wonder-

> Dr. G. W. Earle, Pickens, S. C. writes: "I recommended B. B. B. to with a malignant ulcer on his leg, that seemed to resist all other treatment. After using four or five bot-

made Monday, 150,000 valued at and cure of human suffering. the war ship "Galena" as stores.

-His Honor the Mayor of Atlan-

DOCTORS AND PASTORS. PARALLELS BETWEEN TWO VERYLIM-

Dr. Telmage Thinks It Would Be Well if all Ministers Were Doctors and all Doctors

ais Sanday sermon, Matthew 11,5. "The blind receive their sight, and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, and the deaf kenr." He said:

wounds and byoken bones and disno: he answered, "all that is overcome by my joy in curing them." A religion, namely, the Egyptian priests. And what a grand thing if all clergy men were also doctors, all D. D. were M. D.'s, for there are many cases at the same time, consolation and medicine, theology and therapeutics. As the first surgeons of the world were also ministers of religion, may these tages the early surgeons worked, from the fact that the dissection of the human body was forbidden, first by the pagans and then by the early Christians! Apes, being the brutes most like the human race, were dissected. but no human body might be unfold ed for physiological and anatomica exploration, and the surgeons had to guess what was inside the temple b looking at the outside of it. If the failed in any surgical operation they were persecuted and driven out of the Hunnicutt farms on an intensive plan, city, as was Archagathus because o and last year his clear profits from his bold but unsuccessful attempt to save a patient.

predecessors. But notwithstanding all the surgical and medical skill of the world nem, crying, "My head! my head!" King Asa's disease of the feet, which was nothing but gout: defection of seeth, that called for dental surgery, the skill of which, quite equal to anything modern, is still seen in the filled molars of the unrolled Egyptian mummies; the ophthalmia caused by epilepsy, as in the case of the young man often falling into the fire and simself an ox, and going out to the which in Bible times as now, came

smuggled by the master at-arms of without pain. Doctors Parre and and down among those people who chill, and no more war for the swords it just have the policy made out and But the world wanted a surgery genius, came on, and with their ahresliquors, granted to a woman of that narcotics and ethers as the ancients sunrise and sunset, and the evening malformation, or hereditary ills on city. The ground upon which he badid with hasheesh and mandrake, and star. He just ran His hand over the earth, become the athletes in Elysian ses his action is that to grant a liquor quieted him for awhile, but at the re-expressionles- face, and the shutters fields. Who is that man with such cratic majority rule of the member- license to a woman is contrary to turn of consciousness distress returnsound public policy and good morals, led. The world has never seen but because she is a woman. It would one surgeon who could straighten "I see! I see! Thank God. I see!" be interesting to hear the opinions of the crooked limb, cure the blind eye, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Miss Susie or reconstruct the drum of a sound-B. Anthony and Miss Frances E. less ear, or reduce a dropsy, without derful as an aurist. Very few people throne? That was the one whom our Willard on the subject. or its legal enactment.

—Mrs. John Nichols, formerly of the mightiest, grandest, gentlest and that side of you when they sit or walk and he made her straight. Who is the mightiest, grandest, gentlest and that side of you when they sit or walk and he made her straight. Who is the mightiest, grandest, gentlest and that side of you when they sit or walk and he made her straight. Who is the mightiest, grandest, gentlest and that side of you when they sit or walk and he made her straight. Who is the mightiest, grandest, gentlest and that side of you when they sit or walk last listening with such rapture to rushed to the defense of Cincinnati.

The Alliance makes no war on any political party. When it wants look. Brown of Monticella disability and the made her straight. Who is the mightiest, grandest, gentlest and that side of you when they sit or walk and he made her straight. Who is the mightiest, grandest, gentlest and that side of you when they sit or walk and he made her straight. Who is the mightiest, grandest, gentlest and that side of you when they sit or walk and he made her straight. Who is the mightiest, grandest, gentlest and that side of you when they sit or walk and he made her straight. Who is the mightiest grandest, gentlest and that surgeon was session of the mightiest grandest, gentlest and the made her straight. Who is the mightiest grandest, gentlest and the made her straight. Who is the mightiest grandest, gentlest and the made her straight. Who is the mightiest grandest, gentlest and the made her straight. Who is the mightiest grandest, gentlest and the made her straight. Who is the mightiest grandest, gentlest and the made her straight. Who is the mightiest grandest, gentlest and the made her straight. Who is the mightiest grandest, gentlest and the made her straight. Who is the mightiest grandest, gentlest political party. When it wants legislation it don't ask the candidate if he lanta on Monday so suddenly that serves the confidence and love and larged and what with the conlation it don't ask the candidate if he lanta on Monday so suddenly that serves the confidence and love and larged and what with the conlation it don't ask the candidate if he lanta on Monday so suddenly that serves the confidence and love and love

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PORTANT CALLINGS

But Christ the Surgeon walks along

"Wilt thou be made whole?"

geon did not understand the protrac-

with all omnipotence, He says, "Rise!"

chronic cases now!

That is the oculist we all need.

And the invalid instantly scrambles

Dr. Talmage took for the text of

"Doctor," I said to a distinguished surgeon "do you not get worn out with constantly seeing so many locations of the human body?" 70h sublimer or more merciful art never came down from heaven than the art of surgery. Catastrophe and disease entered the earth so early that one of the first wants of the world was a doc- neck began to be more supple, and music or a clap of thunder. He first submitted to the 1,000 or more man race called for a surgeon and family physician for many years before they came. The first surgeons who answered this call were ministers of hood reinstated. where body and soul need treatment mineral baths at Jerusalem. The ple were brought so that they could two professions always be in full baths. The stone basin of the bath sympathy! But under what disadvanis still visible although the waters have disappeared, probably through some convulsion of nature; the bath deep. Ah, poor man; if you have been lame and helpless thirty-eight years, that mineral bath cannot restore you. Why, thirty-eight years is more than the average of human life! Nothing but the grave will cure you.

But the world from the very begin bales of cotton, 700 bushels of oats. first skill is spoken of in Genesis 62 bushels of wheat, 50 bushels of where they employed their art for the incisions of a sacredrite, God making surgery the predecessor of baptism: he palace, and it broke, and he fell and gathered seven bales (although to the village of Ekron for aid; and a hail storm) and made a clear profit ders of surgery that he was deified. \$122-land and mule, rent and wear and temples were built for his worof machinery being counted in the ship at Pergamos; and Epidaurus and apenses. Altogether he had thirty Podelinus introduced for the relief neres in cotton. He gathered the of the world phlebotomy; and Damocompost. For the last seven years queen; and Hippocrates put success-Mr. Hunnicutt has farmed on the in- ful hand on fractures, and introduced he has never made less than forty obstructions; and Herophilus began mule farm. Col. Thomas Williams, geon, removed cataract from the eye, of Elmore county, Ala., also comes and used the Spanish fly; and Helio forward as a successful farmer. On dorus arrested disease of throat; and 500 acres of laud he raised last year Alexander, of Tralles, treated the eye; 500 bales of cotton. His other crops and Rhazas canterized, for the prewere in like proportion, and he raised vention of hydrophobia; and Percival "hog and hominy" enough for home Pott came to combat disease of the spine; and in our own century we have had a Roux and a Larray in France and As ley Cooper and an Abernethy in Great Britain, and a Valentine Mott an! Willard Parker and Samuel

D. Gross in America, and a galaxy of tor. Was there ever such another living surgeons as brilliant as their oculist? That He was particularly sorry for the blind folks, I take from the fact that the most of His works with what tenacity the old diseases have no time to count up the number hang on the human race, and most of of blind people mentioned who got them are thousands of years old, and his cure. Two blind men in one in our Bibles we read of them; the house, also one who was born blind; carbuncles of Job and Hezekiah; the so that it was not removal of a visual palpitation of the heart spoken of in obstruction, but the creation of the Deuteronomy; the sun-stroke of a cornea, and ciliary muscle, and cryschild carried from the fields of Shu- talline lens, and retina, and optic nerve, and tear gland; also the blind ing the people blink at the roadside; and Philadelphia oculists, because of then, and offers all His services now, cates that the Exchange may be the reading of the morning and evening newspapers on the jolting cars by often into the water; hypochondria, the multitudes who live out of the as of Nebuchadnezzar, who imagined city and come in to business. But in your deaf ears unbarred, and your the lands where this Divine Surgeon ields to pasture; the withered hand, operated, the cases of blindness were multiplied beyond everything by the man who had suffered for years from the destruction of the main particles of sand floating in the air, artery, or from paralysis of the chief and the night dues falling on the have completed the treatment of all nerve; the wounds of the man whom eyelids of those who slept on the top the world's wounds! The day will the thieves left for dead on the road of their houses; and in some of these come when there will be no more tles the ulcer began to heal and his to Jericho, and whom the good Sama-lands it is estimated that twenty out sick, and no more eye and ear infirritan nursed, pouring in oil and wine of a hundred people are totally blind. mities, for there will be no more blind -wine to cleanse the wound, and oil Amid all that crowd of visionless or deaf, and no more deserts, for the to soothe it. Thank God for what people, what work for an oculist! And round earth shall be brought under cigars ever made at Key West was surgery has done for the alleviation I do not believe that more than one arboriculture, and no more blizzards doctor? out of a hundred of that Surgeon's or sunstrokes, for the atmosphere

ligatures are formed, and ossification decadence, or remove temporary ob- earth. Come, now, and let all heaven has taken place. It ought to have structions, but not more than one pay Him with worship that shall christ the Surgeon seemed to prefer thousand is ever cured. It took a never die. On His head be all the inveterate cases. One was a hemor- God to make the ear, and it take a crowns! In His hands be all the rhage of twelve years, and He stopped God to make the ear, and it takess a sceptres! and at His feet be all the it. Another was a curvature of eighteen years, and He straightened it. curious to see how Christ the Surgeon worlds! Another was a cripple of thirty-eight succeeds as an artist.

years, and he walked out well. The We are told of only two cases He operated on as an ear surgeon. His eighteen-year patient was a woman pent almost double. If you could friend Peter, naturally high tempered, call a convention of all the surgeons | saw Christ insulted by a man by the of all the centuries, their combined name of Malchus, and Peter let his skill could not cure that body so sword fly, aiming at the man's head, may already be considered a success. drawn out of shape. Perhaps they but the sword slipped and hewed off It has now been in operation for might stop it from being any worse, the outside ear, and our Surgeon three months and its success has perhaps they might contrive braces touched the laceration and another by which she might be made more bloomed in the place of the one that comfortable, but it is, humanly speak- had been slashed away. But it is not out the State. In the three months ing, incurable. Yet this divine Sur- the outside ear that hears. That is \$50,000 of business has been done geon put both His hands on her, and only a funnel for gathering sound and the volume is constantly increasfrom that doubled-up posture she be- and pouring it into the hidden and ing.
gan to rise, and the empurpled face more elaborate ear. On the beach of The Exchange is a regularly charbegan to take on a healthierhue, and Lake Galilee our Surgeon found a tered corporation with an elaborate the muscles began to relax from their, deaf and dumb. The patient dwelt machinery, permeating every county, rigidity, and the spinal column began in perpetual silence, and was speech- township and neighborhood in the to adjust itself, and the cords of the less. He could not hear a note of State. The plan of the Exchange was

the eyes, that could see only the could not call father or mother or Sub-Alliances in the State for ratificaground before now, looked into the wife or children by name. What tion. Each Alliance ratifying the face of Christ with gratitude, and up power can waken that dull tympanum plan was entitled to subscribe to not toward heaven in transport. Straight! or reach that chain of small bones, or less than one share for the first thirty. After eighteen weary and exhaustive revive that auditory nerve or open five members, two shares for the first years, straight! The poise, the grace- the gate between the brain and the sixty-five, and so on according to a fulness, the beauty of healthy woman-outside world. The Surgeon put regular schedule. His fingers in the deaf cars and agi-The thirty-eight years' case was a tated them, and kept on agitating tee stockholder, and the sub-trustee man who lay on a mattress near the them until the vibration gave vital stockholders in each courty selected were five apartments where lame peo- respond, and when our Surgeon with- stockholder. The county trustee get the advantage of these mineral two tunnels of sound were clear for rectors, one from each Congressional all sweet voices of music and friendship. For the first time in his life 120 feet long, 40 feet wide and 8 feet ful silence had been built a king's and M. L. Donaldson, of Greenville highway of resonance and acclama-

tion. But yet he was dumb. No word had ever leaped over his lip. Speech was chained under his tongue. is held to form a commercial backing Vocalization and accentuation were and it is not available for running exto him an impossibility. He could express neither love nor indignation these baths, and I have no doubt pasnor worship. Our Surgeon, having frayed by the brokerage and disses by some patients who have been unbarred his ear, will now melt the only six months disordered, ora year, shackle of his tongue. The Surgeon facturers on business transacted will use the same liniment or salve through the Exchange. The maxior five years, and comes to the mattress of the man who had been that He used on two occasions for mum amount of brokerage which the nearly four decades helpless, and to the cure of blind people, namely, the manager is allowed to collect is fixed moisture of His own mouth. The by a schedule prepared by a comthis thirty-eight years' invalid said: application is made. And, lo, the mittee of the directors appointed for rigidity of the dumb tongue is rethe purpose, the idea being to secure The question asked, not because the Surlaxed, and between the tongue and from this source simply enough to tedness, the desperatoness, of the case, teeth were born a whole vocabulary, pay the running expenses. If the to evoke the man's pathetic narrative. and words flew into expression. He not only heard, but he talked, cause the brokerage fund to exceed "Wilt thou be made whole?" "Would you like to get well?" "Oh yes," says | One gate of his body swung in to let | the expense account the surplus would

thing. All the surgeons have failed, is it that while other surgeons used fit of it in the form of a dividend. and all the presciptions have proved knives, and forceps, and probes, and While the salaries of the officers of valueless, and I have got worse and spectroscopes, this Surgeon used only the Exchange are fixed by the direction worse, and I can neither move hand the continent of His own lips? To tors, they are not guaranteed, and or foot or head. Oh, if I could only show that all the curative power we are purely contingent on the amount be free from this pain of thirty-eight ever feel comes straight from Christ. of brokerage collected. years?" Christ, the Surgeon, could And if He touches as not, we shall be not stand that. Bending over the as a rock and dumb as a tomb. Oh man on the mattress, and in a voice thou greatest of all aurists, compel safeguard being provided against ir-s tender with all sympathy, but strong us to hear, and help us to speak! But what were the surgeon's fees for all these cures of eyes and ears county agents and are accompanied

then stood upright as though he had painlessness of the operations were never been prostrated. While he worth hundreds and thousands of prices quoted to the buyer include stands looking at the Doctor with a dollars. Do not think that the cases joy too much to hold, the Doctor says: He took were all moneyless. Did He tions. The Alliance member buying "Shoulder this mattress! for you are not treat the nobleman's son? Did through the Exchange is thus, by the not only well enough to walk but He not doctor the rulers daughter? bulking of orders through the Exwell enough to work, and start out Did he not effect a cure in the house from these mineral baths. Take up of a centurion of great wealth, who retail lots at wholesale prices. All thy bed and walk!" Oh, what a Sur- had out of his own pocket built a funds derived from the brokerage or geon for chronic cases then, and for synagogue? They would have paid discounts are turned over to the Him large fees if He had demanded treasurer, and neither the manager them, and there were hundreds of nor any one else can draw on that In speaking of Christ as a surgeon, wealthy people in Jerusalem, and fund except through the tressurer. I must consider Him as an oculist, or among the merchant castles along with a draft countersigned by the eye doctor, and an aurist, or ear doc-Lake Tiberius, who would have given president. The manager is required this surgeon houses and lands and all to make a report to the president they had for such cures as he could monthly of all business transacted by effect. For critical cases in our time him and of all commissions and brokwas with the diseased optic nerves. I great surgeons have received \$1,000, erage collected. The county agents \$5,000, and in one case I know of, are required to make similar re-\$50,000, but the Surgeon of whom I ports to the president, so that the speak received not a shekel, not a two reports act as checks upon each penny, not a farthing. In His whole other. carthly life, we know of His having | The State Exchange is regarded as had but 621 cents. When His taxes being yet in its infancy. Manager were due, by His omniscience He Donaldson is crowded with work knew of a fish in the sea which had night and day. The business is growswallowed a piece of silver money, as ingrapidly and the prospect is that man of Bethsaida, cured by the saliva fish are apt to swallow anything the record of \$50,000 of business for which the Surgeon took from the tip bright, and He sent Peter with a hook the first three months will be far out of His own tongue and put upon the which brought up that fish, and from stripped when the fall season evelids: also two blind men who sat its mouth was extracted a Roman opens. As the plans and methods by the wayside. In our civilized age we stater, or 62; cents, the only money of the State Exchange become better have blindness enough, the ratio He ever had and that He paid out understood among the memebrs of fearfully increasing, according to the for taxes. This greatest Surgeon of statement of Boston and New York all the centuries gave all His services grows with a rapidity which indifree of all charge. "Without money come a tremendous business factory. and without price" you may spiritually have your blind eyes opened, and dumb tongues loosened, and your wounds healed, and your soul saved. What a grand thing for our poor human race when this Surgeon shall

Hickman and Simpson and Warner were feeling slowly their way by staff, shall come out of the foundry bent signed, will you? and Jackson, with their amazing or led by the hand of man or rope of unto pruningbooks. While in the dog, and introducing them to the heavenly country we shall see those thetics benumbed the patient with faces of their own household to the who were the victims of accident or brilliant eyes close before the throne? of both windows were swung open. and the restored went home crying: Why, that is the man who, near Jericho, was blind, and our Surgeon cared his ophthalmia! Who is that But this surgeon was just as won- creet and queenly woman before the and that surgeon was Jesus Christ, people are particular to get on this or and could in no wise lift up herself, when Morgan made his raid Cowles, blind receive their sight, and the lame through the land, it is remarkable whom our Surgeon found deaf and walk; the lepers are cleansed, and the that there are any good ears at all. dumb on the bench of Galilee, and by

THE CO-OPERATIVE METHODS.

Practical Experiment by a State Alli arce... Very Satisfactory Results.

The State Alliance Exchange of South Carolina, located at Greenville, been such as to firmly establish it in the confidence of the Order through-

Each Sub-Alliance elected a trusenergy to all the dead parts, and they from their number a county trustee drew His fingers from the ears the stockholders in turn elected nine didistrict and two at large. The directors elected J. C. Coit, of Chesterhe heard the dash of the waves of field, president; J. W. Ferguson, of Galilee. Through the desert of pain- Darlington, secretary and treasurer;

manager. The State Exchange has a paid in capital of about \$12,000. This sum penses. The current expenses, including the salaries of its officers, are decounts allowed by dealers and manubusiness should be so large as to the man, "that is what I came to these sound enter, and the other gate be covered into the treasury and

The business of the Exchange is conducted with extreme caution every regularities of any kind. All orders from Sub-Alliances come through the to his knees, and then puts out his and tongues and withered hands and by the cash. These orders are based right foot, then his left foot, and crooked backs? The skill and the on prices current issued weekly, and distributed all over the State. the brokerage and are wholesale quotachange, enabled to obtain goods in

A Poor Joke.

Jinks-Mr. Spicer, I have a \$4 bill against you and I would-Spicer-My dear sir, there is no such a thing as a four dollar bill, and to-day I am in no humor for jest-

Vigorous Methods.

Mr. Barkling (undergoing a medical examination for insurance)-Are you going to punch me again like that,

The physician—Just once more. cures were reported. He went up will be expurgated of scorch and Mr. Barkling-Well before you do

A Point of Superiority.

Miss Manhattan-But certainly you must admit that New Yorkers are the best dressed men in the world.

Miss Lakely-Well, anyhow, it is acknowleged that Chicago produces the best dressed beef.

-E. Cowles of Eaton Rapid, Mich., lived in Southern Ohio in 1862, and